



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

**Brian Johnson**

**Serial No.: 10/644,324**

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**For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ADDRESS FIFO FOR HIGH-BANDWIDTH  
COMMAND/ADDRESS BUSSES IN  
DIGITAL STORAGE SYSTEM**

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**Examiner: R. Bragdon**

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The following amendments and remarks are filed in response to the Examiner's remarks in the Final Office Action mailed September 1, 2005, the three-month shortened statutory period for response to which expires on December 1, 2005. This response is submitted before shortened statutory response date of the Final Office Action.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.